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Attorney Docket Number	60,130-2399; 02MRA0191
First Named Inventor	Pontanari
<b>COMPLETE IF KNOWN</b>	
Application Number	/ Herewith
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**As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:**

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Electronic Differential Lock Assembly

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

is attached hereto

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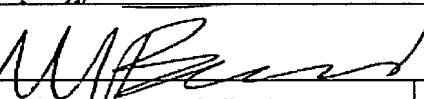
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Supplemental Sheet  
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